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#### PRESS RELEASE

Illinois Route 3 – Granite City, IL

Collinsville - The Illinois Department of Transportation announces that a closure of northbound IL 3, where it passes under I-270, will be encountered on Saturday, April 11, 2015.

On Saturday, April 11, 2015, beginning at 6:00 a.m., <u>ALL LANES OF NORTHBOUND IL 3</u> <u>WILL BE CLOSED</u>, under I-270. No traffic will be allowed to travel the northbound lanes of IL 3 during the removal and replacement of a damaged bridge beam. All northbound lanes of IL 3 are expected to reopen by 8:00 p.m. on Saturday, April 11, 2015.

During this closure, motorists will need to utilize the marked detour along I-270 and IL 203 to travel northbound on IL 3 at this location. The Department's Day Labor and the District's Wood River Sector will be performing this work.

Traffic on I-270 will not be affected by this work.

Traffic control devices and message boards will be utilized during this road closure to assist motorists making their way around the work zone. Motorists are advised to consider alternate routes or allow additional travel time. The Department asks that motorists be patient, reduce speed, and use extreme caution while travelling in the vicinity of this work zone.

Additional information is also available at <a href="www.stl-traffic.org/">www.stl-traffic.org/</a>. For IDOT District 8 updates on Twitter, follow us at <a href="https://twitter.com/IDOTDistrict8">https://twitter.com/IDOTDistrict8</a>.





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